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LOK SABHA

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SETTING UP OF CLOTH CARPET OR JUTE MATRESSES MANUFACTURING MILL
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the National Textile Corporation Mill at Mokama in Bihar is operational and only a little amount of production is being made with a purpose to provide employment to the workers;

(b) if so, the details in this regard`

(c) whether there is any scheme for modernisation of these mills;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) if not, the reasons therefor;

(f) whether the Government have any proposal to set up a mill to manufacture cloth carpets or matresses from jute fibre; and (g) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES

(SHRI GINGEE N. RAMACHANDRAN)

(a): As per available information the National Textile Corporation mills at Mokama in Bihar is operational and is working partially on job work basis.

(b): The details of job work undertaken by the mill for the last three years is given below:-

Year	Production of Yarn (L.Kgs)
1997-98	0.07
1998-1999	1.13
1999-2000 (April-Dec.99)	0.15

(c)to (e): On the basis of a unit-wise viability study made by NTC, Government is considering a revised turn around plan for the viable subsidiaries of NTC alongwith the viable mills under them keeping in view the BIFR norms of net worth turning positive within the stipulated period.

(f) &(g): No Sir.